PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF A 30-DAY PERIOD FOR PUBLIC REVIEW OF THE CLARENCE-NEWSTEAD AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT NO. 14 PURSUANT TO THE EIGHT-YEAR REVIEW

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, that Agricultural District No. 14, which encompasses approximately 29,900 acres within the County of Erie in the Towns of Clarence and Newstead was originally established on April 9, 1980, pursuant to Article 25-AA of the Agriculture and Markets Law.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE, that under Section 303-a (1) of the Agriculture and Markets Law, the County Legislature is required to review a district eight years after its creation and every eight years thereafter.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE, that during this 30-day period, a map of the District will be on file and open to the public in the office of the County Clerk and at the Department of Environment and Planning, and during this period any municipality whose territory encompasses the above Agricultural District, any State Agency or any landowner within or adjacent to the District, may propose a modification to the District.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE, that any proposed modification must be submitted to the County Department of Environment and Planning within thirty days of the date of this notice.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE, that modification request information is located online at www.erie.gov/environment and requests can be submitted by mail or sent electronically to agriculture@erie.gov.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE, that at the termination of the thirty day period, the District and proposed modification(s) will be submitted to the Erie County Agricultural and Farmland Protection Board for Comment.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE, that on December 5, 2011 at 7:00 p.m., a public hearing will be held at Clarence Town Hall, 1 Town Place, Clarence, NY 14031 on the District, proposed modifications, and recommendations of said board.

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Dated: August 1, 2011

Please Keep Posted Through August 30, 2011